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*Whereas, Midget race car driver Mel Kenyon bought his first race car in 1954 and won his first series title in 1962, beginning a spectacular career that includes 380 feature victories and 10 championships, and*

*Whereas, He has qualified for eight Indianapolis 500 races, finishing in the top five in four of the famed racing spectacles, including a third place finish in 1968, and*

*Whereas, A fiery crash in 1965 at the Langhorne (PA) Speedway that left him severely injured did not keep Mel Kenyon from doing what he says he would rather be doing than anything else, and*

*Whereas, in 2003, Mel Kenyon celebrated his 70th birthday, began his 49th season of racing, and was inducted into the International Motorsports Hall of Fame, and*

*Whereas, He continues to work with his brother and son at the family-owned business, 3K Racing, located just steps from his rural home in Lebanon, IN, and*

*Whereas, Mel Kenyon, one of Indiana's celebrated sons,*



*is poised to begin his 50th season of racing; Therefore:*

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the Senate concurring:

1           SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly honors Mel  
2           Kenyon, legendary midget race car driver and Lebanon, Indiana  
3           resident, upon his 50th season of motorsport racing.

4           SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of  
5           Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to Mel  
6           Kenyon.

